

Position: Children's (Kiddie Canoe) Evening Canoe/Kayak Coach

(Evening 1-2x week)

Employer: Ottawa River Canoe Club

Reporting to: ORCC Program Director

The Ottawa River Canoe club is looking for enthusiastic coaches for our Kiddie Canoe (ages 5-10yrs) evening program. This is an 8 week program starting July 4 – ending Aug 22nd). Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

Must have attributes (must be able to demonstrate through references):

- Previous Experience in the sport of Sprint Canoe or Kayak
- One of CKC Community Coach or equivalent certification.
- Ability to manage, assess and engage very young athletes
- Excellent technical knowledge and skills canoe/kayak
- The ability to work independently and collaboratively with other coaches
- Exhibits excellent interpersonal skill, and ability to deal with energetic young athletes
- Outstanding leadership skills, ability to generate enthusiasm
- Outstanding communication and organizational skills
- Excellent swimming ability
- Must have a Police Check, Ontario Pleasure Craft Operators Card, CPR and standard First Aid* certification and AED. (before program start/ we will offer a CPR/first aid course)

Duties:

- ! Arrive at least 15min early to prepare all equipment, greet participants and prepare to deliver program
- ! Deliver instructional program following the CKC community coach, and ORCC Recreational program guidelines.
- ! Teach and apply basic water safety techniques to all participants
- ! Supervise participants in all aspects of the program from beginning to end,
- ! Communicate with parents weekly on progress of athlete, assess through 8 week program.
- ! Ensure compliance with the ORCC club safety standards and ORCC Code of Conduct.
- ! Attend pre-season coaching clinic with other staff members.
- ! Promote and encourage sport in a fun and positive environment.
- ! Clean up all equipment following the program and ensure all participants are back to the clubhouse and safely off the water with their parents.

Please submit resume and references highlighting your experience and interest in this position to: programs@orcc.ca (Attn: Andrea Nicholls- Program Director)

Salary: depending on qualifications and experience

Deadline for application: **May 15th, 2017**